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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of Examiner dated June 28, 2002, rejecting claim 1.

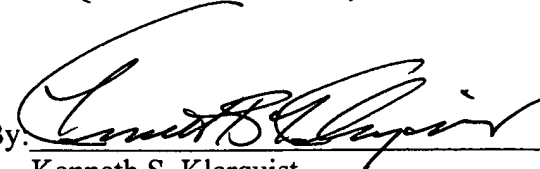
The assignee of this application claims large entity status and therefore enclosed is a check in the amount of \$320.00 per 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (b) for the filing fee for this Notice of Appeal.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional Petition for Extension of Time is made to provide for the possibility that applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a Petition and Fee for Extension of Time.

Please charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with filing this Notice of Appeal and any extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this Notice of Appeal is enclosed.

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